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CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS SCHOOL NO. 15

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This school's academic performance **lags in comparison** to schools across the state. Additionally, its academic performance **is high when compared** to its peers. This school's college and career readiness **is high when compared** to schools across the state. Additionally, its college and career readiness **is high when compared** to its peers. This school's student growth performance **significantly lags in comparison** to schools across the state. Additionally, its student growth performance **lags in comparison** to its peers.

Performance Areas	Peer Percentile	Statewide Percentile	Percent of Targets Met
Academic Achievement	60	21	20%
College and Career Readiness	63	60	50%
Student Growth	25	16	100%

Improvement Status
N/A
Rationale
N/A

Very High Performance is defined as being equal to or above the 80th percentile.

High Performance is defined as being between the 60th and 79.9th percentiles.

Average Performance is defined as being between the 40th and 59.9th percentiles.

Lagging Performance is defined as being between the 20th and 39.9th percentiles.

Significantly Lagging Performance is defined as being equal to or below the 19.9th percentile.

<u>Peer Schools</u> are schools that have similar grade levels and students with similar demographic characteristics, such as the percentage of students qualifying for Free/Reduced Lunch, Limited English Proficiency programs or Special Education programs.

Academic Achievement

This school outperforms 21% of schools statewide as noted by its statewide percentile and 60% of schools educating students with similar demographic characteristics as noted in its peer school percentile in the performance area of Academic Achievement. Additionally, this school is meeting 20% of its performance targets in the area of Academic Achievement



Academic Achievement measures the content knowledge students have in language arts literacy and math. For elementary and middle schools, this includes measures of the school's proficiency rate on both the Language Arts Literacy and Math sections of the New Jersey Assessment of Skills and Knowledge (NJ ASK). A proficiency rate is calculated by summing the count of students who scored either proficient or advanced proficient on the assessment and dividing by the count of valid test scores.

College and Career Readiness

This school outperforms 60% of schools statewide as noted by its statewide percentile and 63% of schools educating students with similar demographic characteristics as noted in its peer school percentile in the performance area of College and Career Readiness. Additionally, this school is meeting 50% of its performance targets in the area of College and Career Readiness.



College and Career readiness measures the degree to which students are demonstrating behaviors that are indicative of future attendance and/or success in college and careers. For all elementary and middle schools, this includes a measurement of how many students are chronically absent. For schools with middle school grades, it also includes a measurement of how many students take Algebra I in eighth grade.

Student Growth

This school outperforms 16% of schools statewide as noted by its statewide percentile and 25% of schools educating students with similar demographic characteristics as noted in its peer school percentile in the performance area of Student Growth. Additionally, this school is meeting 100% percentage of its performance targets in the area of Student Growth.



Student Growth measures the performance of students from one year to the next on the New Jersey Assessment of Skills and Knowledge (NJ ASK) in Language Arts Literacy and Math when compared to students with a similar history of performance on NJASK.

DEMOGRAPHIC INFORMATION

2011-12

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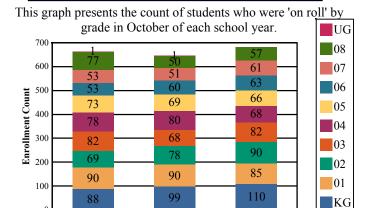
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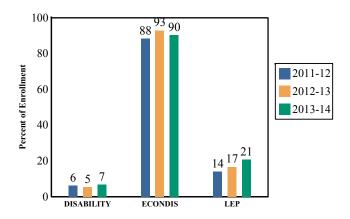
2012-13 **Total School Enrollment Trends**

2013-14

Note: "UG" represents the count of students who are 'on roll' in this school but who are educated in ungraded classrooms, meaning that the classrooms may contain students from multiple grade levels.

Total School Enrollment		
2011-12	664	
2012-13	646	
2013-14	682	

Enrollment Trends by Program Participation



Current Year Enrollment by Program Participation

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2013-2014	Count of	% of			
2013-2014	Students	Enrollment			
Students with Disability	46	7%			
Economically Disadvantaged Students	617	90.5%			
Limited English Proficient					
Students	141	20.7%			

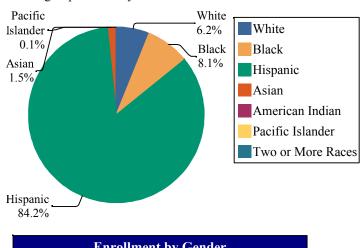
Language Diversity

This table presents the percentage of students who primarily speak each language in their home.

<u>2013-14</u>	<u>Percent</u>
Spanish	69.2%
English	28.5%
Portuguese	1.7%
Urdu	0.1%
French	0.1%
Hindi	0.1%
Other	0.1%

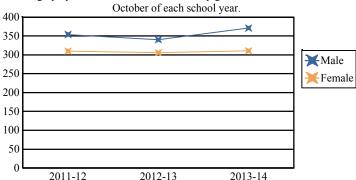
Enrollment by Ethnic/Racial Subgroup

This graph presents the percentages of enrollment for each subgroup defined by the No Child Left Behind Act of 2001



Enrollment by Gender

This graph presents the count of students by gender who were 'on roll' in



	Male	Female
2011-12	354	310
2012-13	340	306
2013-14	371	311



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Academic Achievement measures the content knowledge students have in language arts literacy and math. In elementary and middle school, this includes the outcomes of the New Jersey Assessment of Skills and Knowledge (NJASK). The first column - Schoolwide Performance - in the table below includes measures of the total schoolwide proficiency rate in both language arts literacy and math. The second column - Peer School Percentile - indicates where the school's proficiency rate compares to its group of peer schools. For example, a school that has a peer school percentile rank of 65 has a proficiency rate that is higher than 65% of its peer schools. The third column - Statewide Percentile - indicates where the school's proficiency rate compares to schools across the state. For example, a school that has a statewide percentile of 30 has a proficiency rate that is higher than 30% of all schools with NJASK scores statewide. The last column - Percent of Targets Met - presents the percentage of progress targets met as defined by the NJDOE's NCLB waiver.

The Summary row presents the averages of the peer school percentiles, the average of statewide percentiles and the percentage of statewide targets met.

Academic Achievement Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	State Percentile	Percent of Targets Met
NJASK Language Arts Proficiency and above	42%	49	16	20%
NJASK Math Proficiency and above	63%	71	26	20%
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NCLB Progress Targets - Language Arts Literacy

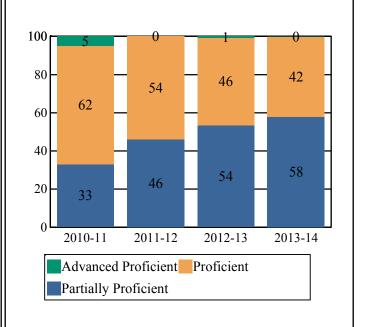
This table presents the Progress Targets as uniquely calculated for each subgroup in each school under NJDOE's NCLB waiver. The methodology - as defined by the United States Department of Education - is calculated so that each subgroup will halve the gap between their 2011 proficiency rate and 100% proficiency by 2017.

Subgroups	Total Valid Scores	Pass Rate	Target	Met Target?
Schoolwide	352	42.1	75.3	NO
White	-	-		
Black	32	37.5	46.7	YES*
Hispanic	294	44.2	74.5	NO
American Indian	-	-		
Asian	-	-		
Two or More Races	-	-		
Students with Disability	50	12	38.6	NO
Limited English Proficient Students	31	22.6	-	
Economically Disadvantaged Students	310	41.6	74.8	NO

YES* = Met Progress Target(Confidence Interval Applied)
Data is presented for subgroups when the count is high enough under
NCLB suppression rules.

Proficiency Trends - Language Arts Literacy

This graph presents the percentage of students who scored in the Advanced Proficient, Proficient and Partially Proficient categories of the statewide Language Arts Literacy assessment over the prior four years.





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NCLB Progress Targets - Math

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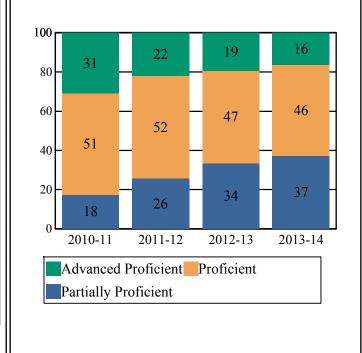
Subgroups	Total Valid Scores	Pass Rate	Target	Met Target?
Schoolwide	352	62.8	86.9	NO
White	-	-		
Black	32	59.4	72.3	YES*
Hispanic	294	64.6	86.2	NO
American Indian	-	-		
Asian	-	-		
Two or More Races	-	-		
Students with Disability	50	36	56.4	NO
Limited English Proficient Students	31	45.1	-	
Economically Disadvantaged Students	310	63.5	87.4	NO

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Proficiency Trends - Math

This graph presents the percentage of students who scored in the Advanced Proficient, Proficient and Partially Proficient categories of the statewide Math assessment over the prior four vears.





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NJASK Results - Language Arts Literacy Grade Level - 03

This table presents the grade level proficiency results, as measured by NJASK, in Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient categories for all appropriate subgroups.

Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	1%	44%	54%
White	-	-	-
Black	-	-	-
Hispanic	0%	46%	54%
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	-	-	-
Limited English Proficient Students	0%	43%	57%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	2%	44%	55%

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NJASK Results - Language Arts Literacy Grade Level - 04

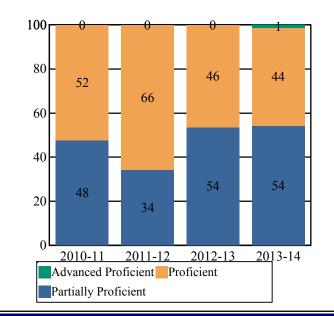
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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	0%	34%	66%
White	-	-	-
Black	-	-	-
Hispanic	0%	41%	59%
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	-	-	-
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	0%	35%	65%

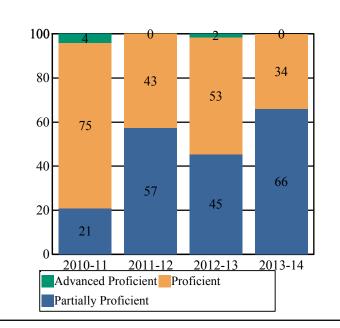
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NJASK Proficiency Trends - Language Arts Literacy -Grade Level - 03

This graph presents the grade level outcomes in the categories of Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient over the last four years.



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NJASK Results - Language Arts Literacy Grade Level - 05

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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	0%	32%	68%
White	-	-	-
Black	-	-	-
Hispanic	0%	35%	65%
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	-	-	-
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	0%	30%	70%

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NJASK Results - Language Arts Literacy Grade Level - 06

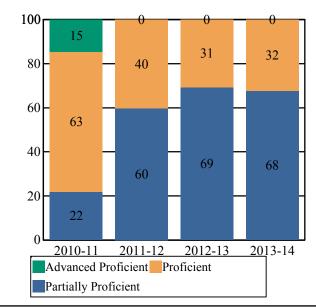
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Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
0%	40%	60%
-	-	-
-	-	-
0%	44%	56%
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	-	-
0%	40%	60%
	Proficient	0% 40% 0% 44%

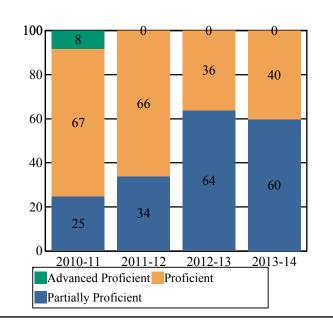
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NJASK Proficiency Trends - Language Arts Literacy -Grade Level - 05

This graph presents the grade level outcomes in the categories of Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient over the last four years.



NJASK Proficiency Trends - Language Arts Literacy -Grade Level - 06





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NJASK Results - Language Arts Literacy Grade Level - 07

This table presents the grade level proficiency results, as measured by NJASK, in Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient categories for all appropriate subgroups.

Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	0%	27%	73%
White	-	-	-
Black	-	-	-
Hispanic	0%	29%	71%
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	-	-	-
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	0%	28%	72%

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NJASK Results - Language Arts Literacy Grade Level - 08

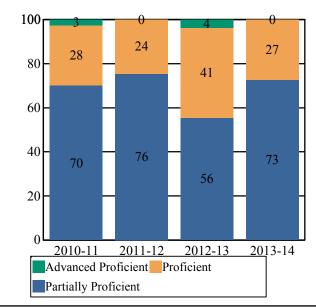
This table presents the grade level proficiency results, as measured by NJASK, in Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient categories for all appropriate subgroups.

Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	0%	75%	25%
White	-	-	-
Black	-	-	-
Hispanic	0%	73%	27%
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	-	-	-
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	0%	73%	27%
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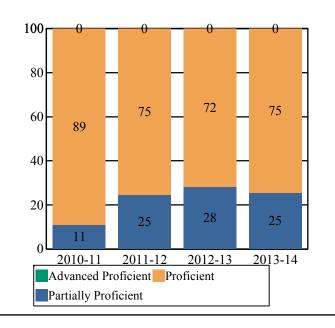
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NJASK Proficiency Trends - Language Arts Literacy -Grade Level - 07

This graph presents the grade level outcomes in the categories of Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient over the last four years.



NJASK Proficiency Trends - Language Arts Literacy -Grade Level - 08





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Grade 4 Reading	State/Nation	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
All Students	State (NJ)	25	33	30	12
All Students	Nation	32	33	27	8

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Grade 8 Reading	State/Nation	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
All Students	State (NJ)	15	39	40	7
All Students	Nation	22	42	32	4



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NJASK Results - MATH Grade Level - 03

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categories for an appropriate subgroup	Advanced		Partially
Subgroups	Proficient	Proficient	Proficient
Schoolwide	25%	40%	35%
White	-	-	-
Black	-	-	-
Hispanic	25%	44%	32%
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	-	-	-
Limited English Proficient Students	7%	57%	36%
Economically Disadvantaged Students	24%	40%	35%

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NJASK Results - MATH Grade Level - 04

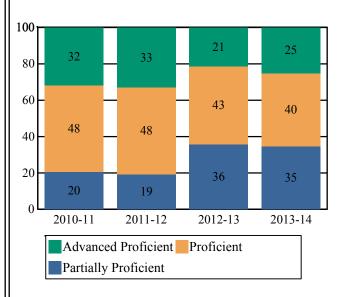
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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	17%	53%	30%
White	-	-	-
Black	-	-	-
Hispanic	18%	57%	25%
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	-	-	-
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	16%	53%	31%
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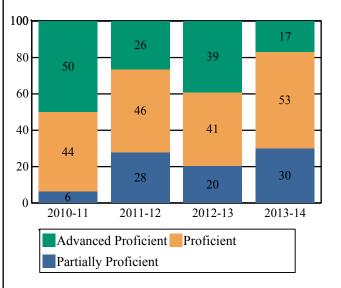
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NJASK Proficiency Trends - Math - Grade Level - 03

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NJASK Proficiency Trends - Math - Grade Level - 04





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Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
17%	63%	20%
-	-	-
-	-	-
19%	61%	20%
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	-	-
15%	62%	23%
	17% 19%	Proficient 17% 63%

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NJASK Results - MATH Grade Level - 06

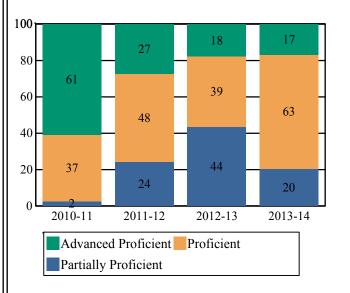
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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	8%	53%	39%
White	-	-	-
Black	-	-	-
Hispanic	6%	50%	44%
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	0%	17%	83%
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	9%	56%	35%
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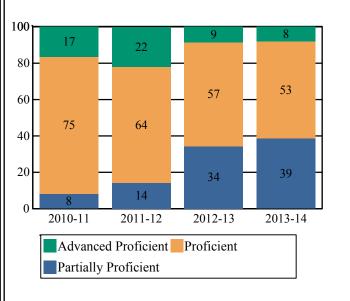
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Schoolwide	2%	31%	67%		
White	-		-		
Black	-	-	-		
Hispanic	2%	36%	62%		
American Indian	-	-	-		
Asian	-	-	-		
Two or More Races	-	-	-		
Students with Disability	-	-	-		
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-		
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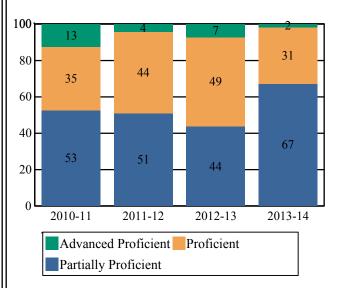
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Schoolwide	29%	37%	33%
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Black	-	-	-
Hispanic	34%	34%	32%
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
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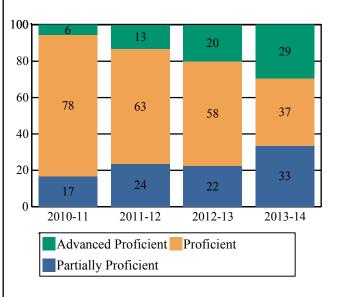
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http://www.ni.gov/education/pr/1314/naep/naep8math.html For more information visit http://nces.ed.gov/nationsreportcard/

Grade 8 Math	State/Nation	Below Basic	Basic	Proficient	Advanced
All Students	State (NJ)	18	34	33	16
All Students	Nation	26	38	27	9



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NJASK Results - Science Grade Level - 04

This table presents the grade level proficiency results, as measured by NJASK, in Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient categories for all appropriate subgroups.

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Subgroups	Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
Schoolwide	11%	62%	26%
White	-	-	-
Black	-	-	-
Hispanic	14%	68%	18%
American Indian	-	-	-
Asian	-	-	-
Two or More Races	-	-	-
Students with Disability	-	-	-
Limited English Proficient Students	-	-	-
Economically Disadvantaged Students	12%	61%	27%
	-	-	-

Data is presented for subgroups when the count is high enough under NCLB suppression rules.

NJASK Results - Science Grade Level - 08

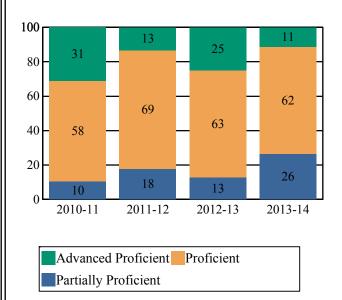
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Advanced Proficient	Proficient	Partially Proficient
18%	59%	24%
-	-	-
-	-	-
20%	55%	25%
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	-	-
-	-	-
16%	62%	22%
	Proficient 18% 20% 16%	Proficient 18% 59% 20% 55% 16% 62%

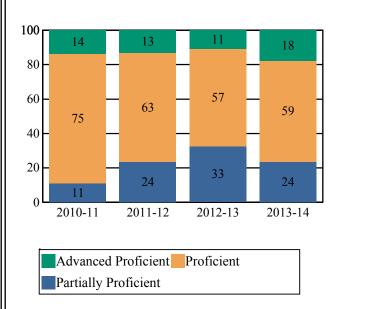
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NJASK Proficiency Trends - Science - Grade Level - 04

This graph presents the grade level outcomes in the categories of Advanced Proficient, Proficient, and Partially Proficient over the last four years.



NJASK Proficiency Trends - Science - Grade Level - 08





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COLLEGE AND CAREER READINESS

Students in both elementary and middles schools begin to demonstrate college readiness behaviors long before they even enter high school. Among the behaviors that research has shown to be indicative of success and college and career readiness are regularly attending school and challenging themselves with rigorous course work. First, the table presents the percentage of students, as measured against the school's enrollment in eighth grade, who were reported via NJSMART as being enrolled in Algebra I. The table also presents the percentage of students who were chronically absent during the prior school year. A chronically absent student is a student who was not present for any reason for 10% or more of the total days possible for that individual student.

The first column - Schoolwide Performance - represents the outcomes for these particular indicators in this school. The second column - Peer School Percentile - indicates how the school's performance compares to its group of peer schools. For example, a school whose peer school is 65 in Algebra I Enrollment has a higher Algebra I Enrollment than 65% of its peer group. The third column -Statewide Percentile - indicates how the school's performance compares to schools across the state. The fourth column - Statewide Target - provides the statewide targets for each of these indicators. The last column - Met Target? - indicates whether the School Performance met or exceeded the statewide target.

The Summary row presents the averages of the peer school percentiles, the average of statewide percentiles and the percentage of statewide targets met.

College and Career Readiness Indicators	School Performance	Peer Percentile	Statewide Percentile	Statewide Target	Met Target?
Students taking Algebra (%)	100%	100	100	20%	YES
Chronic Absenteeism (%)	12%	26	20	6%	NO
Summary		63	60		50%

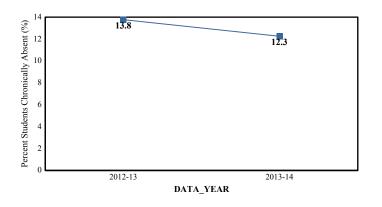
Algebra I

This table presents the percentage of eighth graders who were reported in the Algebra I course code in NJSMART and the percentage of those students who earned a C or higher in the course.

2013-14	School
Students taking Algebra I	100%
Algebra grade (C or better)	83%

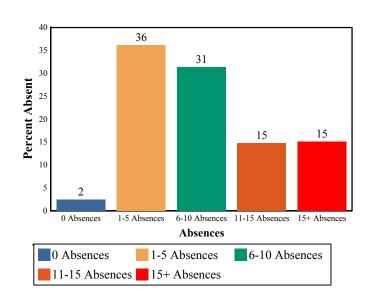
Chronic Absenteeism Trend

This graph presents the percentage of the enrolled students who were chronically absent for the past two years.



Absenteeism

The chart below presents the percentage of students who were absent in each category of absence: 0 absences, 1-5 absences, 6 - 10 absences, 11 - 15 absences, and more than 15 absences. An absence is defined as being 'not present' and includes the days missed regardless of whether they were determined to be excused or unexcused by the school.





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STUDENT GROWTH

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This section of the performance report presents data about student growth, utilizing the Student Growth Percentile Methodology (SGP). SGP creates a measure of how students progressed in grades 4 through 8 in NJ ASK Language Arts Literacy and Math when compared to other students with a similar NJ ASK test score history. A short video explaining the methodology can be found here: http://www.state.nj.us/education/njsmart/performance/

The first column - Schoolwide Performance - presents the schoolwide median growth score in either Language Arts Literacy or Math for all students in the school. The second column - Peer Percentile - indicates how the school's growth performance compares to its group of peer schools. The third column - Statewide Percentile - indicates how a school compares to schools across the state. The last column - Met Target? - indicates whether the school's performance met or exceeded the target.

The summary row presents the averages of the peer school percentiles, the averages of statewide percentiles, the percentage of statewide targets met.

Student Growth Indicators	Schoolwide Performance	Peer Percentile	Statewide Percentile	Statewide Target	Met Target?
Student Growth on Language Arts	37	13	9	35	YES
Student Growth on Math	41	36	22	35	YES
		25	16		100%

Student Growth

This table presents for all students with growth scores the interaction between their proficiency level on NJASK and their growth scores. For example, in the top left cell the percentage of students who are both partially proficient AND also demonstrating low growth is displayed.

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	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Partially Proficient	37%	14%	9%
Proficient	10%	17%	14%
Advanced Proficient	0%	0%	0%

Math

	GROWTH		
	Low	Typical	High
Partially Proficient	24%	10%	4%
Proficient	15%	18%	14%
Advanced Proficient	3%	4%	6%

Low Growth is defined as an Student Growth Percentile score less than 35. Typical Growth is defined as an Student Growth Percentile score between 35 and 65. High Growth is defined as a Student Growth Percentile score higher than 65.



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This section of the performance report presents data about the achievement gap that exists within a school - as measured by the difference between the students' scale scores at the 25th and 75th percentile in the school, the so-called Interquartile Range (IQR). Taken together with an understanding of the overall and average achievement levels in the school, the IQR furthers an understanding of the range of student outcomes that exist in a school. A school gap smaller than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is narrower than the state's while a school gap larger than the state gap indicates that the school's range of student outcomes is larger than the state's.

Grade Level - 03

NJ ASK Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	241	300
75th	207	221
50th	191	207
25th	182	188
Oth	157	100

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	25	33

Grade Level - 04

NJ ASK Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	219	300
75th	202	219
50th	186	202
25th	177	186
0th	145	100

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	25	33

Grade Level - 03

NJ ASK Math 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	300	300
75th	250	268
50th	210	229
25th	185	200
Oth	134	100

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	65	68

Grade Level - 04

NJ ASK Math 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	294	300
75th	237	264
50th	209	228
25th	180	195
0th	123	100

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	57	69



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Grade Level - 05

NJ ASK Math 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	292	300
75th	233	262
50th	219	235
25th	206	206
0th	151	100

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	27	56

Grade Level - 06

NJ ASK Math 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	255	300
75th	217	259
50th	201	228
25th	174	201
0th	138	100

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	43	58

Grade Level - 05

NJ ASK Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	229	300
75th	203	224
50th	188	206
25th	177	186
0th	146	100

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	26	38

Grade Level - 06

NJ ASK Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	235	300
75th	205	230
50th	192	211
25th	181	192
0th	153	100

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	24	38



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Grade Level - 07

NJ ASK Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	239	300
75th	200	234
50th	185	211
25th	169	188
0th	103	100

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	31	46

Grade Level - 08

NJ ASK Language Arts 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	239	300
75th	213	238
50th	205	221
25th	193	204
0th	162	100

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	20	34

Grade Level - 07

NJ ASK Math 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	262	300
75th	208	250
50th	182	214
25th	156	184
0th	115	100

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	52	66

Grade Level - 08

NJ ASK Math 25th %ile vs 75th%ile

This table presents the scale scores associated with students at the bottom (0th percentile), the 25th percentile, the 50th percentile, the 75th percentile and the top (99th percentile) of school's distribution.

Percentile	School Scale Score	State Scale Score
99th	280	300
75th	242	259
50th	216	227
25th	181	192
0th	100	100

	Scale Score Gap - School	Scale Score Gap - State
25th vs 75th Gap	61	67



SCHOOL CLIMATE

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Length of School Day

This table presents the amount of time a school is in session for a typical student on a normal school day.

	School
2013-14	8 Hrs. 15 Mins.

Student Suspension Rate

This table presents the percentage of students who were suspended one or more times during the school year.

	School
2013-14	12.9%

Instructional Time

This table presents the amount of time that a typical student is engaged in instructional activities under the supervision of a certified teacher.

2013-14	School
Full Time	7 Hrs. 30 Mins.
Shared Time	0 Hrs. 0 Mins.

Student Expulsions

This table presents the number of students who were expelled from the school and district during the school year.

	School	
2013-14	0	

Student to Staff Ratio

This table presents the count of students per faculty member or administrator in the school. All staff are counted in full-time equivalents.

2013-14	School	
Faculty	13	
Administrators	682	

SCHOOL PEER GROUP

CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS SCHOOL NO. 15

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This table presents the list of peer schools in alphabetical order by county name that was created specifically for this school (highlighted in yellow). Peer schools are drawn from across the state and represent schools that have similar grade configurations and that are educating students of similar demographic characteristics, as measured by enrollment in Free/Reduced Lunch Programs, Limited English Proficiency or Special Education Programs.

COUNTY NA	ME DISTRICT NAME	SCHOOL NAME	CDS CODE	GRAD ESPAN	EDDI	LEP	SpED
ATLANTIC	ATLANTIC CITY	CHELSEA HEIGHTS SCHOOL	01-0110-05			10.5%	9.1%
ATLANTIC	ATLANTIC CITY	RICHMOND AVENUE SCHOOL	01-0110-12	0 PK-08	91.8%	28.5%	10.7%
ATLANTIC	ATLANTIC CITY	SOVEREIGN AVENUE SCHOOL	01-0110-03	0 KG-08	94.3%	34.3%	11.9%
CHARTERS	HOPE ACADEMY CS	HOPE ACADEMY CHARTER	80-6740-95	0 KG-08	88.8%	18.5%	9.8%
CHARTERS	JERSEY CITY COMM. CS	SCHOOL JERSEY CITY COMMUNITY CHARTER SCHOOL	80-6910-94	0 KG-08	85.2%	0.0%	5.8%
CHARTERS	SCHOOL	PRIDE ACADEMY CHARTER SCHOOL	80-6020-98	5 05-08	83.7%	0.0%	14.8%
	COMMERCIAL TWP	PORT NORRIS MIDDLE SCHOOL	11-0950-05	0 06-08	82.1%	0.0%	26.1%
CUMBERLANI	FAIRFIELD TWP	FAIRFIELD TOWNSHIP SCHOOL	11-1460-07	0 PK-08	82.8%	0.0%	14.4%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	ABINGTON AVENUE SCHOOL	13-3570-17	0 PK-08	90.3%	16.2%	10.4%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	AVON AVENUE SCHOOL	13-3570-22	0 KG-08	84.5%	0.5%	7.5%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	FIRST AVENUE SCHOOL	13-3570-41	0 PK-08	86.5%	9.5%	8.8%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	LUIS MUNOZ MARIN ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-3570-30	1 PK-08	85.8%	14.1%	22.0%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	PARK ELEMENTARY SCHOOL	13-3570-58	1 PK-08	87.2%	12.1%	7.2%
ESSEX	NEWARK CITY	QUITMAN COMMUNITY SCHOOL	13-3570-60	5 PK-08	85.3%	4.8%	14.3%
HUDSON	WEST NEW YORK TOWN	WEST NEW YORK MIDDLE SCHOOL	17-5670-11	0 07-08	86.1%	10.0%	12.9%
MIDDLESEX	NEW BRUNSWICK CITY	MCKINLEY COMMUNITY SCHOOL	23-3530-11	0 PK-08	83.3%	1.8%	18.9%
MIDDLESEX	PERTH AMBOY CITY	WILLIAM C. MCGINNIS MIDDLE SCHOOL	23-4090-14	0 05-08	89.8%	20.2%	9.4%
PASSAIC	PATERSON CITY	NORMAN S WEIR	31-4010-32	5 KG-08	81.8%	4.4%	41.2%
PASSAIC	PATERSON CITY	SCHOOL 13	31-4010-17	0 PK-08	90.9%	19.2%	6.8%
PASSAIC	PATERSON CITY	SCHOOL 18	31-4010-22	0 PK-08	91.7%	27.4%	8.1%
PASSAIC	PATERSON CITY	SCHOOL 24	31-4010-27	0 PK-08	89.9%	20.6%	8.7%
PASSAIC	PROSPECT PARK BORO	PROSPECT PARK SCHOOL NO. 1	31-4270-01	0 PK-08	84.6%	2.3%	14.2%
UNION	ELIZABETH CITY	CHARLES J. HUDSON SCHOOL NO. 25	39-1320-28	0 KG-08	93.0%	27.0%	5.6%
UNION	ELIZABETH CITY	CHRISTOPHER COLUMBUS SCHOOL NO. 15	<u> 39-1320-18</u>	0 KG-08	90.5%	20.7%	6.3%
UNION	ELIZABETH CITY	GEORGE WASHINGTON SCHOOL	39-1320-09	0 PK-08	89.7%	18.4%	6.9%
UNION	ELIZABETH CITY	NO. 1 IPREP ACADEMY SCHOOL NO 8	39-1320-30	1 KG-08	88.3%	10.7%	5.7%
UNION	ELIZABETH CITY	JOSEPH BATTIN SCHOOL NO. 4	39-1320-03	5 KG-08	91.3%	20.1%	9.9%
UNION	ELIZABETH CITY	JUAN PABLO DUARTE - JOSE JULIAN MARTI #28	39-1320-31	5 PK-08	89.8%	21.2%	9.4%
UNION	ELIZABETH CITY	MABEL G. HOMES SCHOOL NO. 5	39-1320-30	0 PK-08	86.3%	10.4%	11.3%
UNION	ELIZABETH CITY	RONALD REAGAN ACADEMY SCHOOL NO. 30	39-1320-30	5 PK-08	87.5%	12.6%	12.5%
UNION	PLAINFIELD CITY	MAXSON MIDDLE SCHOOL	39-4160-07	0 06-08	87.6%	12.8%	21.9%